



Bidder Education and Outreach Activities

Medicare DMEPOS Competitive Bidding Program

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CMS DMEPOS COMPETITIVE BIDDING PROGRAM

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Welcome to the DMEPOS Competitive Bidding Implementation Contractor (CBIC) Web Site

New CBIC Service Center Hours of Operation

The CMS DMEPOS Competitive Bidding Implementation Contractor (CBIC) Customer Service center will provide new hours of operation beginning Monday, October 1, 2007. The CBIC customer service center associates will be available to assist you from 9 am EST to 5:30 pm EST, Monday through Friday. In addition, you may e-mail your questions, comments or issues to cbic.admin@palmettogba.com at any time.

Important Bidding Alert!

The competitive bid submission system (CBSS) has been updated to allow bidders to verify receipt of required hardcopy documents by the Competitive Bidding Implementation Contractor (CBIC). The CBSS provides a private, unique home page for each bidder. **Effective immediately, bidders can visit their individual CBSS home pages to check the status of the receipt of their hardcopy documents.**

It is important to note that a bidder's CBSS home page will only indicate whether that bidder's hard document package has been received. It will not indicate whether the hard copy document package is necessarily accurate, complete, or meets CMS criteria. **It is each bidder's responsibility to ensure that a complete**

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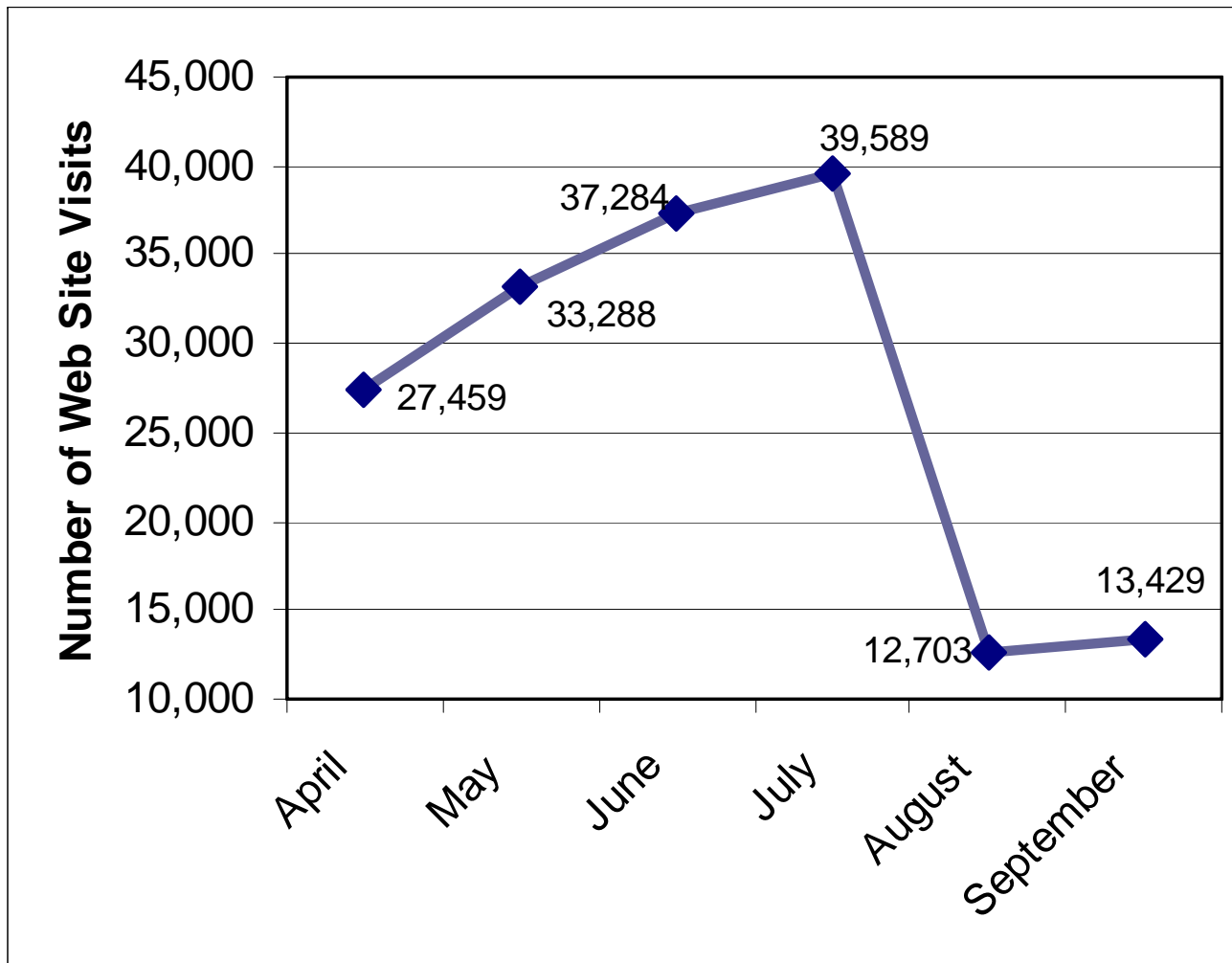
[Deadline Extension for DMEPOS Competitive Bidding](#)

All bids are now due by 9:00 p.m. prevailing Eastern Time on September 25, 2007. The accreditation deadline is now October 31, 2007. The contract period for mail order diabetic supplies is now July 1, 2008 - March 31, 2010. The contract period for all other first round product categories is now July 1, 2008 - June 30, 2011.



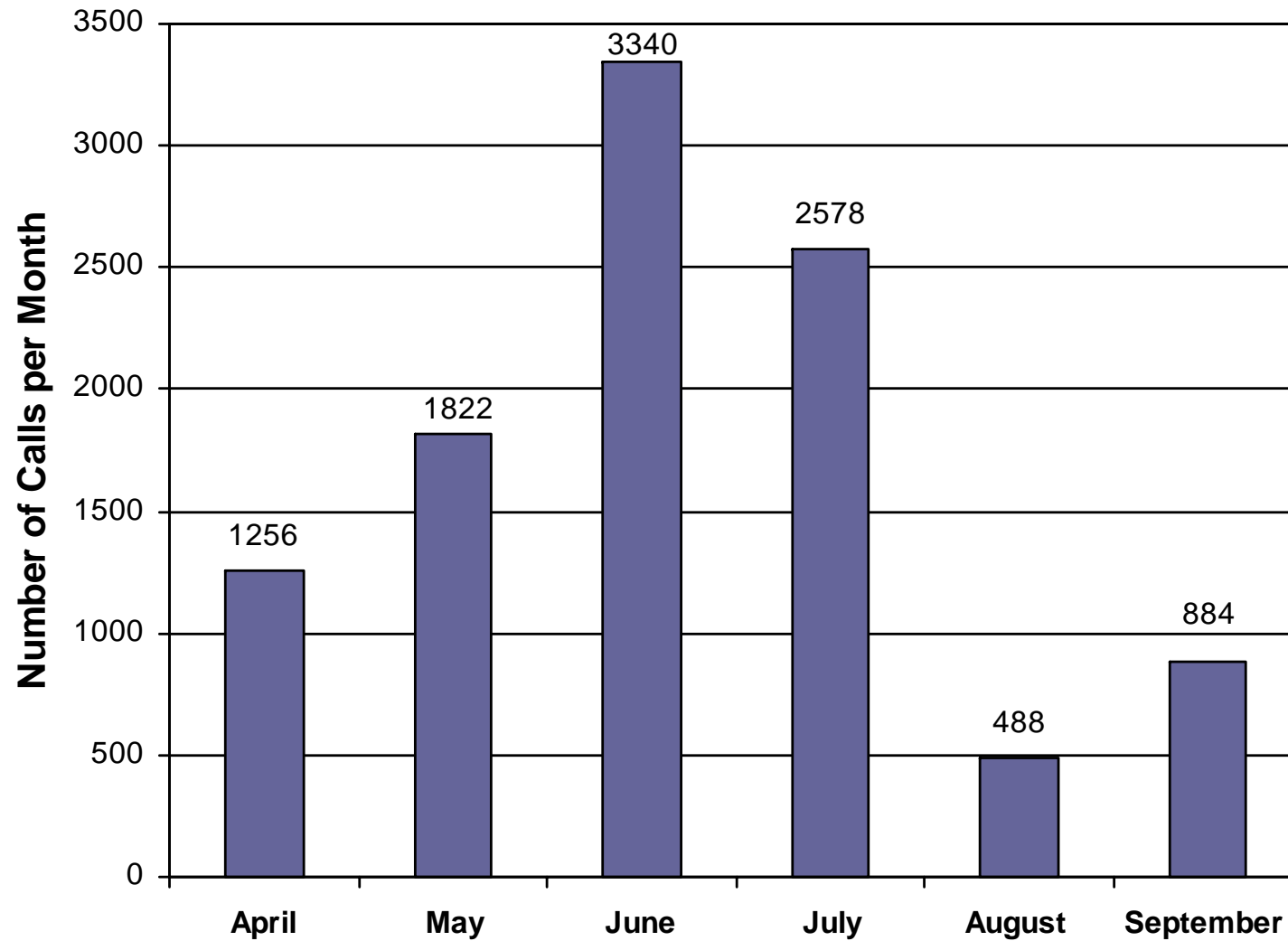
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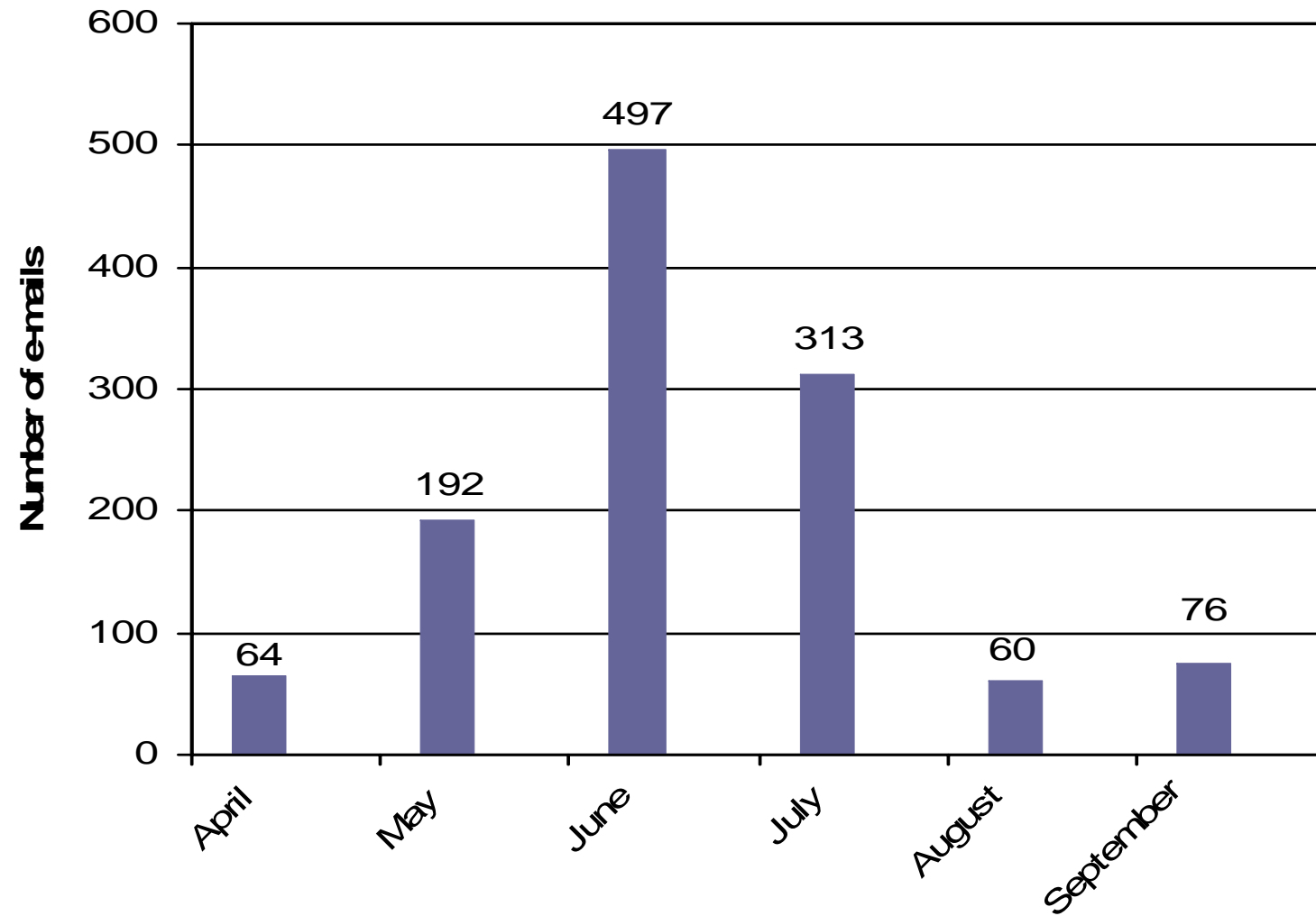


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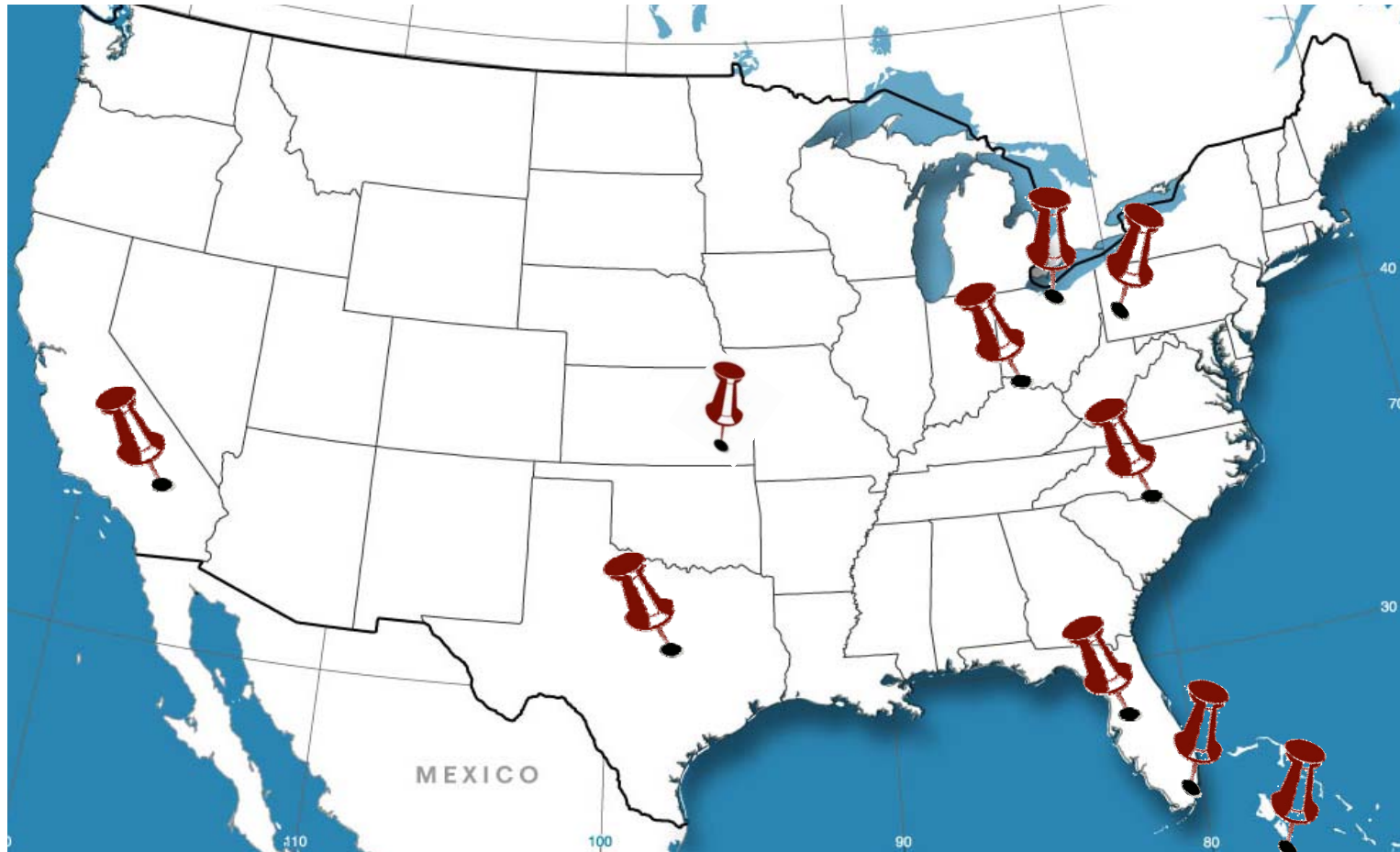


What's Next for Educational Tools

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- Customer Service Center
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Ombudsman Program





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